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SUBJECT: KOREA AT 31ST UNGA: ROK VOTE COUNT

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1. IN CONVERSATION WITH EMBOFF SEPTEMBER 13 MOFA UN DIVISION CHIEF YI CHONG-BIN GAVE FOLLOWING VOTE ESTIMATE ON COMPETING KOREA RESOLUTIONS IN UPCOMING UNGA. HOSTILE RESOLUTION: YES 49-50; NO: 43-45. FRIENDLY RESOLUTION: YES 60-63; NO: 49-52. YI SAID ESTIMATES WERE BASED ON ASSURANCES GIVEN AT MINISTERIAL LEVEL. HE SAID UN DIVISION CUSTOMARILY DISCOUNTS ASSURANCES GIVEN AT LOWER LEVELS IN COMPLILING VOTE ESTIMATES.

2. FOREIGN MINISTER PAK TONG-JIN JUST PRIOR TO HIS DEPARTURE FOR NEW YORK TOLD CHARG' THAT MOFA ESTIMATE WAS THAT FRIENDLY RESOLUTION MIGHT RECEIVE AS MANY AS 65 YES VOTES.
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